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Serial No.: 10/730,332  
Filed: December 8, 2003  
Art Unit: 2883  
Examiner: Michael P. Mooney  
Title: **LIGHT EMISSIVE DISPLAY BASED ON LIGHTWAVE COUPLING**  
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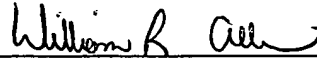
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